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- 11. (C) P/E Chief delivered reftel demarche September 15 to Ambassador Muhammad al Khusaibi, the Chief of the American Affairs Department of the Omani MFA. Al Khusaibi indicated his concern and sympathy and promised to seek action.
- 12. (C) The DCM, on a separate visit to the MFA the same day, also delivered the message to Muhammad al-Hassan, chief of staff to Yusuf bin Alawi, Minister Responsible for Foreign Affairs. Al Hassan noted that the Minister has delivered similar points before and would do so again. Schmierer